



bar of Salt Lake City, July 4, 1849, and his wife, July 12, 1849. They were baptized in the face of fierce opposition from their Church of England, their parents, and families.

As Francis was a college graduate and spoke French fluently, he was called on two missions to France, and later another mission to Sheffield, England, where he was president of the Sheffield conference. He was a High Priest.

Mary was a very capable business woman, who owned and operated her own shop. She also took care of the children while he was away serving on missions. All this time they were saving for their trip to Zion and they sailed for Boston with five children, March 26, 1858, arriving 23 days later. The voyage cost \$75. The receipt for the purchase of the tickets for this voyage are still in existence.

After a short time they went to New York where Francis presided over the New York branch of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. He stayed there a year. His trade of painting and glazing helped the family in New York, also later in Florence, Nebraska, where they arrived May 28, 1859.

On July 6, 1860, "they had the privilege of crossing the plains," as Mr. Kerby put it, with the Oscar O. Stoddard handcart company. After many unbelievable hardships, they arrived in Salt Lake Valley, September 24, 1860. In their diary they wrote, "We arrived in the valley of Salt Lake after a pleasant journey." Could anyone today think of this as a pleasant journey?

They bought a lot, built a house and made a fine garden. His wife sold two of her fine silk dresses to buy a cow for the family. It was at this time Brigham Young called them to Wallsburg, or Round Valley, as it was then known, and Francis worked at his trade in all surrounding towns.

They obtained 20 acres of land and with the help of their two oldest sons, they started to build their home. This frame house became the first house in Wallsburg to have a wood floor and a shingle roof.

They were all good Church workers. Francis was a fluent speaker and also lead the singing. Twice the Indians drove them back to Provo, but each time they returned.

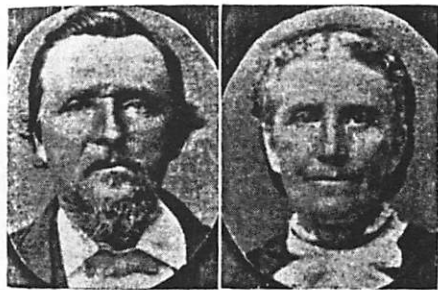
Mary LeCarnu was always saving money to do work in St. George, Manti and Logan Temples. Since her husband and his oldest

years of age. Here he lived until the opening of the Indian Reservation in the Uintah Basin, November 3, 1905, where he settled at Strawberry, near Duchesne.

James hauled lumber to Salt Lake City from Daniels Canyon near Heber, to the old titling lot where the Hotel Utah now stands. He also hauled to Park City. He lived in Wallsburg a number of years, then went to Strawberry. He was a farmer and livestock grower. He lived on the old ranch, enjoying good health until his death. Gilbert was a very charitable person and on many occasions gave assistance, financially and otherwise, to those needing help among his friends and neighbors. He was loved by all who knew him.

Gilbert and Julia Maria's children are: James Forest, Ethel May, Ervan Roy, Alice, Raleigh Russell, Dale, Juliette, Lizzie La-preal.

## FRANCIS KERBY II AND MARY LE CARNU



Francis Kerby II was born on the Isle of Jersey (English Channel island) on August 17, 1821, of wealthy Scotch and English parents.

His wife, Mary Le Carnu, was born September 16, 1823, of French parents, John Le Carnu and Mary Renouf.

sons had been working so hard on the Salt Lake Temple, her greatest desire was to work in the Salt Lake Temple. However, she died May 9, 1893, one month after the temple was dedicated.

Her husband kept the Wallsburg Church records for many years. At this time he owned three farms besides the home, and all his buildings were in excellent condition.

There were 10 children born to the couple, the youngest being Isabell Kerby. Our grandfather spent the latter years of his life with his two daughters, Isabell and her sister Harriet Mecham. He loved to read and took all Church papers. At the end, his eyesight failed, but his daughter Isabell's family was a great comfort to him. They loved him dearly. Due to his eyesight being bad he struck his leg on a crate and the wound did not heal properly. Gangrene set in and he was taken home in the year 1915 at the age of 94. Had he not had this accident it was thought he would live to be 100.

Their children were: John, Mary, Alma, Harriet, Joseph, Eliza, Alice, Louisa Jane, and Isabella.

### JOSEPH KERBY AND MARY ELLEN MURPHY



Joseph Kerby was born March 16, 1857, to Francis Kerby II and Mary Le Carnu Kerby, handcart pioneers in the Oscar O. Stoddard handcart company. He married Mary Ellen Murphy, born September 23, 1861, daughter of Harriett D. Camp (Murphy) and Dixon Hamlin Greer, on October 23, 1879. Joseph died September 16, 1911 and Mary Ellen died September 26, 1938 in Provo.

Joseph was a painter, paper hanger, and an artist. He worked hard as did his wife and they raised a big family. Their grandchildren are engaged in this kind of work in

Provo. Mary Ellen was a hard worker and kind mother.

Joseph painted many beautiful scenes of Provo Canyon and the mountains and lakes of Utah. He also was an exceptional actor and took part in many plays in Wasatch County, and Utah County.

They moved to Provo Bench about 1902 or 1903 where he bought a farm and it was kept in perfect shape.

Their children were: Mellissa, Mark, Oasis, Harriett, Marion, Joseph, Francis, Margaret, Alma, Gladys, Alice.

### ALFRED NEWEL KNIGHT AND ISABELLE COOK

Alfred Newel was born at Provo, Utah, a son of Newel James Knight and Eliza Stratton. He married Isabelle Cook a daughter of Robert Cook and Alice Sophia Kerby of Wallsburg, April 21, 1915 in the Salt Lake Temple. She was born May 3, 1893 in Wallsburg and died January 27, 1950.

Their children are: Afton, Glen Fred, Dale C., Ruth, Newel Lynn, Robert Don, Clyde Erwin, Nedra Mae.

### JAMES J. AND SARAH ELIZABETH ROSS LAMB



James J. Lamb, born April 29, 1835, in Huron, Wayne County, New York. Died October 21, 1896. Rebaptized about August 19, 1888, by F. A. Fraughton. Married March 21, 1863 at Lehi to Sarah Elizabeth Ross, born April 23, 1843. Died October 5, 1927. She was rebaptized August 1877.

James Lamb was killed in Main Canyon by a load of logs.

### SUEL LAMB AND WILLMURTH JANE DAVIS

Suel Lamb was born January 20, 1879, at Lehi, Utah, a son of James Jackson Lamb